

The City Council of Framingham



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR FRAMINGHAM, MA.
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ORDER NO. 2022-121-001
REQUEST OF THE ORDINANCE, RULES AND COORDINATION SUBCOMMITTEE

UPON THE REQUEST OF THE ORDINANCE, RULES AND COORDINATION SUBCOMMITTEE, THE CITY OF FRAMINGHAM, THROUGH THE FRAMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL, IT IS SO ORDERED:

The Council votes to amend General Ordinances, Article I, Section 3.3, as attached.

FIRST READING

YEAS:

Alexander, Bryant, Cannon, King, Leombruno, Long, Mallach, Ottaviani,

Stefanini, Steiner, Stewart-Morales

NAYS:

None

ABSTAIN:

None

ABSENT:

All members were present in person or via teleconferencing

PASSED IN COUNCIL:

November 1, 2022

SECOND READING

YEAS:

Alexander, Bryant, Cannon, King, Leombruno, Long, Mallach, Ottaviani,

Stefanini, Steiner, Stewart-Morales

NAYS:

None

ABSTAIN:

None

ABSENT:

All members were present in person

PASSED IN COUNCIL:

November 15, 2022



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A TRUE RECORD, ATTEST:

11/17/22

Date Approved

Lisa A. Ferguson, City Clerk

Emily L. Butler, Assistant City Clerk

Date Approved

Charlie Sisitsky, Mayor



Amendment to Section 3.3 of Article 1 relative to the time of multiple member body meetings

Be it ordained by the Framingham Council, as follows:

SECTION 1.

Section 3.3 of Article I of the Framingham Ordinances is hereby amended as follows:

3.3 All meetings of all boards and committees elected or appointed, except the Framingham Retirement Board, Council on Aging, Registrars of Voters, Cemetery Trustees, Veterans Council, Board of Assessors, Disability Commission, Elderly and Disabled Tax Relief Committee, Youth Council, and any School Council, shall commence no earlier than 7:00 p.m., except in emergency situations, for executive sessions, or for outreach sessions, without any substantive votes, convened to deceminate or collect information for residents, provided that the first order of business of all such meetings shall be the recording of the nature of the meeting. This provision shall not apply to any subcommittee, task force, or working group of an elected or appointed board, so long as the subcommittee, task force, or working group is not comprised of a quorum of members of the elected or appointing board.

SECTION 2.

Severability

If any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then such provision shall be considered separately and apart from the remaining provisions, which shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3.

Effective Date

This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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